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THE PREPARATION OF THE DIAGNOSIS OF
PHAKOMATOSIS



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TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR RULE 53(b)
CONTINUING PATENT APPLICATION

Sir:

This is a request for filing a: [X] continuation,
[] divisional, application of pending prior Application No.
09/893,237, Confirmation No. 4912, filed June 27, 2001.

Transmitted herewith for filing are the
[X] specification; [X] claims; [X] abstract; [X] Preliminary
Amendment; [X] Copy of Declaration and Power of Attorney;

[X] Application Data Sheet; [X] Information Disclosure Statement; [X] Form PTO-1449; and [X] postcard; for the above-identified patent application.

The enclosed declaration is:

- ☐ Newly executed (original or copy).
- ☒ A copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R. § 1.63(d)).
- ☐ A signed statement is attached deleting inventors named in the prior application (37 C.F.R. §§ 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b)).
- ☒ The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the declaration is supplied, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.
- ☒ The prior application, Application No. 09/893,237, filed June 27, 2001, is assigned of record to Von Recklinghausen Gesellschaft E.V..

Also transmitted herewith are:

- ☒ 2 sheets of:
 - ☒ Formal drawings.
 - ☐ Informal drawings. Formal drawings will be filed during the pendency of this application.
- ☐ An assignment of the invention to: _____.
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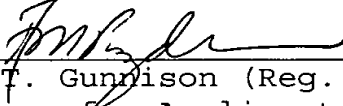
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